

The State of Texas } Know all men by these
Palo Pinto County } presents - That I Thos. J. Stokes
of said State and County
do hereby make constitute, and appoint
S. F. Jones my true & lawful Attorney
in fact to act in my name and in my
place and stead to collect from the Comptroller's
Office at Austin, all the money due me by
the State of Texas, to-wit: the sum of Fifty One
and ⁰⁰/₁₀₀ Dollars for services as 2nd Sergeant
in Lieutenant S. F. Jones' Company of Minute
men of the County of Palo Pinto, & for supplies
furnished to the same a certified account of
which accompanied this Power of Attorney to
receipt said account and for said money
and all other things to do that may be needful
in the premises in my name and as fully as
I myself could do.

In testimony whereof I
hereunto set my hand and Seal this 4th day of
May 1860

Thos. J. Stokes 

The State of Texas } I O. Wright Clerk of the County Court
Palo Pinto County } of said County do hereby certify
That Thos. J. Stokes whose name
appears above to me well known acknowledged
before me that he signed sealed and delivered
the above and foregoing instrument of writing for
the uses and purposes therein expressed

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand
and Official Seal this 4th day of May 1860
O. Wright - C. C. P. P. C. T. By John Topp. Dpty.